Town of Fort Myers Beach Agenda Item Summary

tem Summary Blue Sheet Number: 2010-061

1. Requested Motion:

Meeting Date: June 7, 2010

Approve/deny Southwest Utility Systems, Inc. request to work at night on June 16, 17, 23, and 24, 2010 to install eight stormwater crossings associated with the North Estero Boulevard Drainage Improvement Project.

Why the action is necessary:

Council must approve exceptions and modifications to the standard hours of work.

What the action accomplishes:

Allows Southwest Utility Systems Inc (SUSI) to modify its work schedule to perform the stormwater crossings at night which will reduce certain safety and traffic issues.

2. Agenda:

3. Requirement/Purpose: Resolution

4. <u>Submitter of Information</u>:

_ Consent _x Administrative

Ordinance

_ Council x Town Staff – Public Works

<u>x</u> Other: Motion of Council

Town Attorney

5. Background:

As part of the stormwater collection and conveyance system being installed with the North Estero Boulevard project there are 17 locations where there are equalization pipe crossing. The stormwater pipe is 24" in diameter and will be installed approximately 6' deep. These 17 crossings will be installed perpendicular to the roadway travel lanes. (Attached is a plan sheet depicting typical crossings.) Traffic will need to be rerouted through the construction area to accomplish this work. SUSI is proposing to accomplish 14 of these cross-overs at night to reduce safety issues associated with daily traffic loads being routed over the trench area while the large equipment is operating, as well the delay to the traffic. Three crossing are scheduled for daytime. SUSI is estimating that it will take approximately 8 hours to complete one crossing during day time conditions vs. 4 hours if traffic load is reduced by working at night.

With this request SUSI intends to install 8 of the crossings and will make another request for the remaining 6. The hours of work proposed are from 9:00 PM - 6:00 AM for the designated days. SUSI has indicated that they will use deflectors on their lights and direct it away from the beach while performing this work.

6. Alternative Action:

Do not approve

7. Management Recommendations:

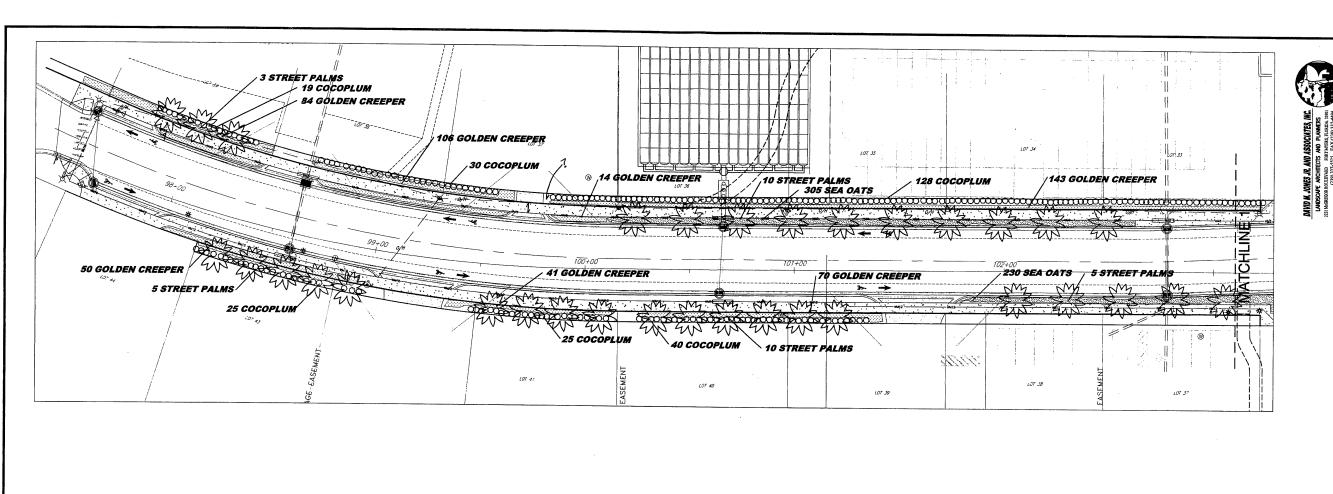
Staff recommends the approval.

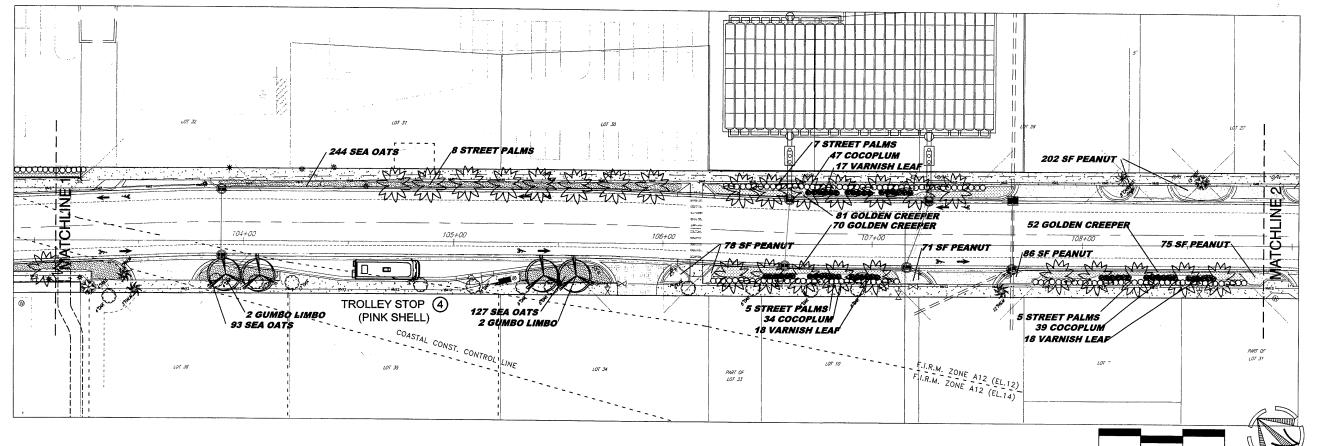
8. Recommended Approval:

Town Manager	Town Attorney	Finance Director	Public Works Director	Community Development Director	Cultural Resources Director	Town Clerk
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9. Council Action:

_ Approved	_ Denied	_Deferred	_Other





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LANDSCAPING PLANS

DATE: JUNE 19, 2009 PROJECT NO: 05-0722 FILE NO: 24-46-23 SCALE: 1" = 20'
SHEET NUMBER

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